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1. POLCOUNS ON MARCH 27 RAISED SUBJECT WITH AMBASSADOR NAVA CARRILLO, FOREIGN MINISTRY DIRECTOR GENERAL OF INTERNATIONAL POLICY. NAVA SAID FOREIGN MINISTRY IS NOW WORKING ON GOV PARTICIPATION IN SSOD. HE POINTED OUT THAT VENEZUELA MILITARY EXPENDITURES ARE REPORTED IN GREAT DETAIL TO THE VENEZUELAN CONGRESS AND VENTURED, AS A PERSONAL OPINION, THAT THERE WAS NO PROBLEM WITH VENEZUELAN PARTICIPATION IN PILOT TESTS. HE CAUTIONED HOWEVER THAT THIS WAS A PERSONAL OPINION AND NOT THAT OF THE GOV.

2. NAVA SAID HE WOULD BE BACK TO THE EMBASSY AFTER PRESIDENT CARTER'S VISIT (MARCH 28-29) WITH THE OFFICIAL LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

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